



Patricia O'Brien Arp, Ph.D.
Wyoming Deputy State Treasurer

Pat Arp is the Wyoming Deputy State Treasurer. She currently serves in this capacity for State Treasurer Mark Gordon. Prior to joining the State Treasurer's Office in April 2015, Dr. Arp was the Deputy Secretary of State for 20 years; having served terms with former Secretaries of State Max Maxfield, Joseph B. Meyer and Diana J. Ohman. From 1991 through 1994, Dr. Arp was the Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction at the Wyoming Department of Education. Pat has a diverse background as evidenced by the fact that earlier in her career she was a high school biology, chemistry and physics teacher in Connecticut and a child protection social worker and a juvenile probation officer in northeast Wyoming. She was also the Northeast administrator (Campbell, Crook and Weston counties) for the Department of Family Services (formerly referred to as D-PASS).

Dr. Arp received her Ph.D. from the University of Wyoming, her Master's Degree from Penn State and her Bachelor's Degree from Framingham State College in Massachusetts. She is a lifelong learner holding a current license as a Licensed Professional Counselor and is also certified as a Life Coach.

A native of Massachusetts, Dr. Arp migrated to Wyoming in her mid-twenties. She has lived in Wyoming for close to 40 years. She is married to Circuit Court Judge Randy Arp.